

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

**Please delete the present Abstract of the Disclosure and replace it with the following new Abstract of the Disclosure**

A method for cutting a honeycomb core ~~comprising~~ which has a plurality of hollow tubular cells, wherein the method ~~comprises~~ includes the steps of: filling or coating a hollow tubular cell of the honeycomb core with a resin composition that is in a gel state at an ordinary temperature; cooling the resin composition to a solid state; cutting the hollow tubular cell together with the resin composition in the solid state; allowing to stand or heating the resin composition to a gel state; and removing the resin composition in the gel state from the hollow tubular cell.